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## REMARKS

Following entry of the foregoing amendments, claims 29 to 48 will be pending in the application. Claim 29 has been amended and claims 49 to 51 have been canceled, without prejudice. No new claims have been added.

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejection of record in view of the foregoing amendments and the following remarks.

## **Alleged Lack of Enablement**

Claims 29 to 49 and 51 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph for lack of enablement because undue experimentation would allegedly be required to practice methods for treating neurodegenerative disease and Alzheimer's disease. The rejection of claim 50, which depends from claim 29 and recites methods for treating stroke, under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph for alleged lack of enablement has been withdrawn. Without conceding the correctness of the rejection, claim 29 has been amended to recite the subject matter of claim 50 – methods for treating stroke, and claims 49 to 51 have been canceled, obviating the rejection. Applicants accordingly, respectfully request withdrawal thereof.

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## Conclusion

Applicants believe that the foregoing constitutes a complete and full response to the Office Action of record. Accordingly, an early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully Submitted,

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